



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

After Final Rejection

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Applicant(s): Julian David Waldman			Docket No. SONY 3.0-053

Invention: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR IDENTIFYING AND PURCHASING MUSIC

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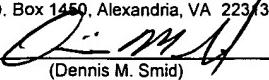
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 21, 2006, finally rejecting claims 18-26 and 42-47, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows: